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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
SHOGO KAWAMURA, ET AL. ) Examiner: Unassigned  
Application No.: Not Yet Assigned ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
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For: LIQUID DISCHARGE RECORDING )  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Applications:

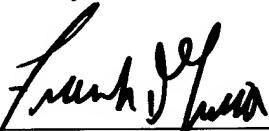
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| 08/915,676             | 8/21/97            | 2853                  |
| 09/488,931             | 1/21/00            | 2853                  |
| 09/643,826             | 8/22/00            | 2854                  |

A copy of each cited Application is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be initialed and returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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